



**MICHIGAN**  
**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
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**MINUTES OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE**  
**ON**  
**TOURISM AND OUTDOOR RECREATION AND AGRICULTURE**

Wednesday, September 13, 2017                      12:00 noon                      Room 326 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Tourism and Outdoor Recreation was called to order by Chair Hughes.

Members present: Reps. Hughes, VanderWall, Sheppard, Dianda, Clemente.  
Members absent/excused: None.

Representative VanderWall moved to adopt the minutes of September 6, 2017. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Chair Hughes laid the following bills before the committee:

HB 4781	(Hughes)	Vehicles; bicycles; operation of electric bicycles on certain trails; allow.
HB 4782	(Hughes)	Vehicles; bicycles; definition and regulation of electric bicycles; provide for.
HB 4783	(Kesto)	Insurance; no-fault; electric-assist bicycles; exempt from no-fault insurance requirements.

Bob Wilson, representing the Michigan Trails and Greenways, submitted a card in support of the bills, but did not wish to speak.

Representative VanderWall moved to adopt the substitute (H-2) to HB 4781. The motion prevailed, the vote being 5-0-0.

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL**

Yeas: Reps. Hughes, VanderWall, Sheppard, Dianda, Clemente.  
Nays: None.  
Pass: None.

Representative VanderWall moved to report out HB 4781 with recommendation as substitute (H-2). The motion prevailed, the vote being 5-0-0.

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL**

Yeas: Reps. Hughes, VanderWall, Sheppard, Dianda, Clemente.  
Nays: None.  
Pass: None.

Representative Sheppard moved to adopt the substitute (H-2) to HB 4782. The motion prevailed, the vote being 5-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hughes, VanderWall, Sheppard, Dianda, Clemente.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative Dianda offered the following amendment to HB 4782 (H-2):

1. Amend page 6, following line 7, by inserting:

**"(11) THIS STATE OR A LOCAL AUTHORITY OR AGENCY OF THIS STATE SHALL ADMINISTER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION IN A MANNER THAT COMPLIES WITH THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT OF 1990, PUBLIC LAW 101-336, AND THE PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES CIVIL RIGHTS ACT, 1976 PA 220, MCL 37.1101 TO 37.1607."**

Representative Dianda moved to adopt the amendment to the bill. The motion prevailed, the vote being 5-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hughes, VanderWall, Sheppard, Dianda, Clemente.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative VanderWall moved to report out HB 4782 with recommendation, as amended, as substitute (H-3). The motion prevailed, the vote being 5-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hughes, VanderWall, Sheppard, Dianda, Clemente.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative Sheppard moved to report out HB 4783 with recommendation. The motion prevailed, the vote being 5-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Hughes, VanderWall, Sheppard, Dianda, Clemente.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Chair Hughes laid before the committee a presentation by Deanna Richardson, representing the Michigan Lodging and Tourism Association. Questions and discussion followed.

Chair Hughes laid before the committee a presentation by Mickey MacWilliams, representing the Michigan Snowsports Industries Association. Questions and discussion followed.

There being no further business before the committee, Chair Hughes adjourned the meeting, the time being 12:42 p.m.

**Representative Holly Hughes, Chair**\_\_\_\_\_

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